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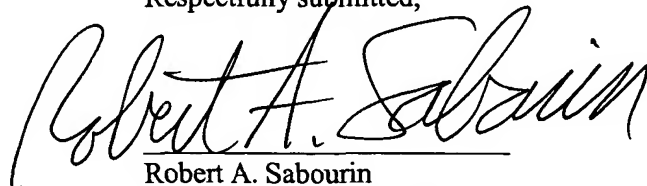
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1. U.S. Patent no. 5,781,714 issued July 14, 1998 to Collins et al. discloses an apparatus and method for creating and using portable fonts.
2. U.S. Patent publication no. 2002/0136578 A1 published on September 26, 2002 to Johnson et al. discloses an internet print device font distribution method and web site.
3. WO 01/55815 A2 discloses a method and apparatus for conducting electronic commerce transactions using electronic tokens which are issued and maintained by a vendor.
4. EP 0807881 A2 discloses an encoding scheme for character fonts which is controlled dynamically so as to accommodate multiple possible font encoding schemes.
5. EP 0949574 A2 discloses a multimedia segment structure defining customizable multimedia presentations.

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